by BIFR regarding any of the subsidiaries so far. The Turn Around Strategy for revival of the NTC mills is under consideration of the Government. The final package will be placed before the BIFR for approval before implementation.

Agitation against delay in implementation of modernisation plan for NTC Mills

5407. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY
SHRI ANANT RAM JAISWAL:
SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state

(a) whether Government are aware that the textile workers belonging to various unions in all textile mills in the country held a dharna in front of Parliament House against the delay in implementing the agreement reached during the Special Tripartite Committee meeting held on 9.4.96 for reviewing and modernising 75 mills of the NTC;

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto; and

(c) the steps proposed to be taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI G. VENKATSWAMY): (a) The Government is not aware of any Dharna in front of the Parliament House by the textile workers belonging to various unions in all textile mills in the country against the delay in implementing the agreement reached during the Special Tripartite Committee Meeting held on 9.4.94 for reviewing the modernisation plan of 79 mills of the NTC.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The Textile Research Associations had prepared plans for modernisation and revival of the NTC mills. The Labour Ministry's Special Tripartite Committee on the NTC has recommended, inter-alia, that the NTC mills as well as its taken over mills can be made viable by modernisation as proposed by the Textile Research Associations. A revised Turn Around Strategy on the basis of the modernisation plan prepared by the textile Research Association is under consideration of the Government. Since the cases of 8 out of 9 subsidiaries of the NTC have been referred to the BIFR, any final scheme that may emerge would require the approval of the BIFR before implementation.

हथकरघा विकास केन्द्रों की स्थापना करना

5408. श्री चिमनभाई हरिभाई शुक्ल: क्या वस्त्र मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या केन्द्रीय सरकार ने उन स्थलों के संबंध में अपनी अनुमति दे दी है जहां 1993-94 और 1994-95 के दौरान हथकरघा विकास केन्द्र स्थापित किए जाने थे;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इसका राज्यवार ब्यौरा क्या है; और

(ग) इस योजना की वर्तमान स्थिति क्या है?

वस्त्र मंत्री (श्री जी॰ वेंकट स्वामी): (क) भारत सरकार ने 31.3.1995 तक 872 हथकरघा विकास केन्द्रों और 197 उत्कर्ष रंगाई इकाईयों की स्थापना की मंजूरी दे दी है।

(ख) वर्ष 1993-94 और 1994-95 में हथकरघा विकास केन्द्रों की स्थापना की जगह की मंजूरी का राज्यवार विवरण संलग्न है। (नीचे दीखिए)

(ग) हथकरघा विकास केन्द्रों और उत्कर्ष रंगाई इकाईयों की स्थापना के लिए 31.3.1995 तक सरकार ने 50.18 करोड़ रुपये की राशि मंजूर की है।